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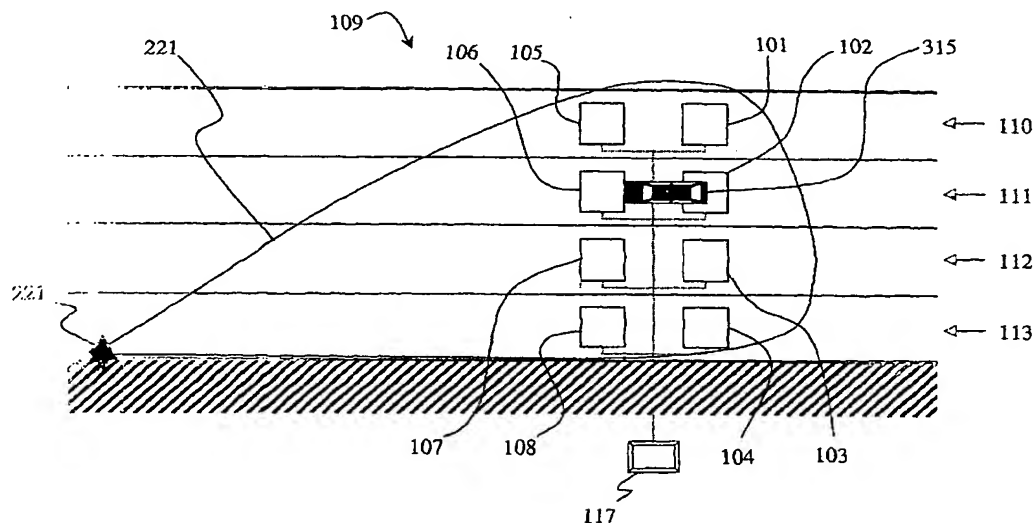
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(57) Abstract: A roadside traffic monitoring system comprises a primary sensor for measuring a parameter of vehicles passing a measurement point and a secondary sensor for measuring the same parameter of vehicles as they pass the measurement point. The secondary sensor is able to measure the parameter to a higher level of accuracy than the primary sensor but only under certain predetermined conditions. The system further comprises a conditions sensor for determining when these predetermined conditions are met, enabling the secondary sensor to be used to calibrate the primary sensor.

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